

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please replace the claims with the claims provided in the listing below wherein status, amendments, additions and cancellations are indicated.

1. (Currently Amended) A subdivided fixed amount distributing apparatus for an aerosol container comprising:

an outer sleeve configured so as to be securable to a top of the aerosol container and formed with a penetration opening at a center thereof;

a stem with a borehole;

a nozzle body disposed in the penetration opening of the outer sleeve and formed with a nozzle;

the nozzle communicating with the borehole of the stem;

a coil spring;

a fixed amount injection valve;

a pushing body penetrated by the nozzle of the nozzle body and biased in an upward direction by ~~[[a]] the coil spring positioned against~~ ~~wound around~~ the nozzle body;

the pushing body being configured to engage the stem to advance the stem downward according to a pushing down operation performed on the pushing body by a user to open the fixed amount injection valve effecting injection of entire amounts of aerosol contents within the fixed amount injection valve

the pushing body being rotatable with respect to the nozzle body and the outer sleeve;

an upper sleeve slidably retaining the pushing body to slide in an up and down direction, the upper sleeve having a lower end secured to the outer sleeve;

lower receiving blades extending upward from the outer sleeve and having top ends each with a tapered portion at one corner, the lower receiving blades being arranged annularly spaced about an outer periphery of the penetration opening of the outer sleeve to define lower insertion intervals between the lower receiving blades and extending in an up and down direction;

a flat portion having a same level as the ends of the lower receiving blades and formed at an end of a series of the lower receiving blades in an arrangement direction;

a fitting piece projecting from a lower surface of the pushing body and allowing the pushing body to be pushed toward the stem by the pushing down operation of the user, the fitting piece being configured to slidably engage the tapered portions so as to rotate the pushing body and then be inserted into the lower insertion interval and

upper receiving blades extending downward from the upper sleeve for rotating the pushing body in the same direction as the rotating direction of the pushing body effected by the engagement with the lower receiving blades said rotational movement of the pushing body being defined by slidably engaging a top

of the fitting piece with a respective upper receiving blade during upward motion of the pushing body due to release of the pushing down operation, the upper receiving blades being arranged annularly at an inner surface of the upper sleeve and each having a tapered lower surface at one corner and being spaced apart annularly to define upper insertion intervals so that upon engagement of the fitting piece with the tapered lower surface of the respective upper receiving blade, the fitting piece is thereafter located within a respective next upper insertion interval, and wherein the fixed amount injection of the aerosol contents is disabled by the pushing operation being executed plural times effecting a disabling rotating movement of the pushing body which rotates the pushing body to a position whereat the fitting piece abuts the flat portion during the pushing down operation so as to prevent further depression of the pushing body.

2. (Original) The subdivided fixed amount distributing apparatus for aerosol container according to claim 1, wherein the pushing body is formed with a pushing projection at an upper surface thereof to be in pressurized contact with a user.

3. (Original) The subdivided fixed amount distributing apparatus for aerosol container according to claim 2, wherein the pushing projection of the pushing body is formed in coupling with the fitting piece.

4. (Original) The subdivided fixed amount distributing apparatus for aerosol container according to claim 2, wherein the pushing body is formed with the pushing projection and the fitting piece, which are formed separately.